MANDYA DISTRICT.

Notification No. A. 4. 2587—39-40, dated 23rd November 1939.

The term of the present Village Panchayets in this district expires on varying dates. To regularise the term of the Village Panchayets in this district, it is hereby extended up to the end of June 1940 under Section 12 of the Village Panchayet Act.

The Amildars should take prompt action to get the Village Panchayets reconstituted by then.

B. S. RAGHAVENDRA RAO,
Deputy Commissioner

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification No. Cl. C. 1570—39-40, dated 24th November 1939.

In connection with the reconstitution of the District Board, Chitaldrug, to take effect from 1st June 1940, all Associations which are desirous of being enfranchised for representation on the District Board and which fulfil the conditions prescribed by Government in their Notification No. L. 1311—L. B. 25-26-3, dated the 21st August 1926, as amended from time to time (*vide* Rules 2 to 7 which have been extracted below) are hereby required to submit their applications to the undersigned through the Amildar of the Taluk or Sub-Taluk concerned noting therein all the particulars required, so as to reach this office on or before the 31st January 1940.

Applications, which do not reach this office in time or which do not comply with the conditions laid down in the said Government Notification, will not be entertained.

The enfranchisement of the Associations made during the year 1936 ceases on the expiry of the present term of the Board.

They must apply afresh, if they desire to be enfranchised for the next term.

Rule 2. *Special Constituencies.*—Any Association in a district which is registered under the Societies' Act No. III of 1904 and is also enfranchised by the Government on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner for representing the following interests, *viz.*, Inamdars, Planters, Agriculturists or Industries, Commerce, or such other interests as approved by Government shall form a Special Constituency.

Rule 3. Each Special Constituency may elect a member to the District Board provided that the total number of members elected by Special Constituencies shall not exceed one-fourth of the total number of elected members of the Board.

Rule 4. *Enfranchisement of Association.*—No Association will be enfranchised that does not fulfil the following conditions, but an Association will not become entitled to be enfranchised solely by reason of fulfilling the conditions : —

(*a*) The Association must have been formed for the furtherance of any of the interests stated in Rule 2 and it must be an active one doing substantial work to promote such interest.

(*b*) The number of members on the roll of the Association shall not be less than one hundred, provided that Government may, for special reasons, allow an Association containing less than one hundred members to elect a member to the District Board.

(*c*) Applications for enfranchisement shall be submitted to Government through the Deputy Commissioner at least four months before the commencement of the term of the District Board and shall be accompanied by a copy of the rules or bye-laws and the following particulars :—

(*i*) Objects of the Association.
(*ii*) A list of members with the particulars required under Rule 7.
(*iii*) Income from membership and other sources.
(*iv*) The assets of the Association.

Rule 5. The franchise given to an Association shall expire at the end of the term of the District Board and the privilege of representation shall be liable to be revoked, if the Association ceases to exist or infringes any of the conditions specified in rule 4.

Rule 6. *Qualifications of Voters in Special Constituencies.*—Subject to the provisions of Sections 9 and 10 of the Act, every member of an Association enfranchised by the Government shall be qualified to vote at an election of a member by the constituency to the District Board.